PATENT APPLICATION

FILING UNDER 37 CFR §1.312 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE **TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 1621**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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SECOND AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the July 6, 2006, Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification; and

Remarks.